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## **Deborah.Easterling**

From:

Deborah. Easterling

Sent:

Wednesday, April 24, 2013 2:09 PM

To:

'Harriet Whitehead'

Subject:

RE: I oppose Duke's latest rate hike for dirty energy

Dear Ms. Whitehead,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your email to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email will become a part of Docket No. 2013-59-E and will be posted on our website under this docket. RECEIVED
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Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

**Deborah Easterling** Administrative Assistant

----Original Message----

From: Greenpeace [mailto:info@wdc.greenpeace.org] On Behalf Of Harriet Whitehead

Sent: Saturday, April 20, 2013 9:08 AM

To: PSC\_Contact

Subject: I oppose Duke's latest rate hike for dirty energy

Apr 20, 2013

South Carolina Public Service Commission

Dear Public Service Commission,

Duke should quit investing in dirty, old energy like coal and nuclear, and actually invest in the cheaper renewable technologies its executives claim to support. I want the Carolinas to be more energy efficient and powered by local wind & solar that will employ thousands of Carolinians.

Personal note: I've read the literature on utilities and their problem with "stranded assets" if people start switching to renewables. Essentially, a switch to renewables is a switch to no longer being a rate-paying utility customer. So I'm not asking Duke to "make the switch." I'm only asking that it not stand in the way and that the Commission make this clear to Duke. Protecting a corporation's assets should not be a concern of the public. Our concern is protecting our homes, our communities, our country and our planet.

Respectfully, Harriet Whitehead

Sincerely,

Harriet Whitehead 3711 Knollwood Dr



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